

275th Anniversary

Trinity Church

Woodbridge, N.J.

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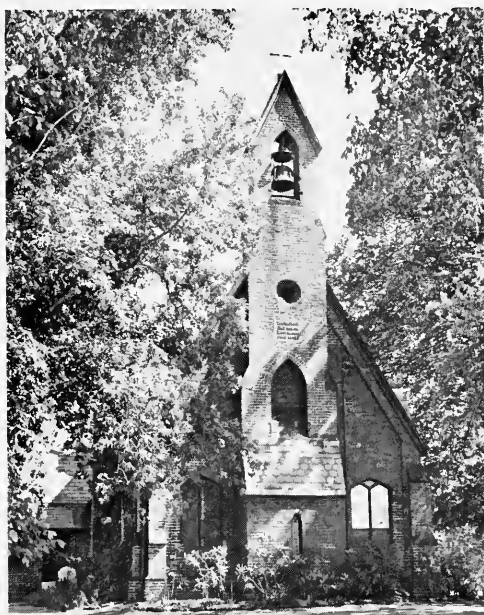
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The 275th Anniversary
OF
Trinity Church
Woodbridge, New Jersey

1698-1973

Whitsunday, June 10, 1973



First Service 1698
Parish Organized 1702
First Church Building 1713
Second Church Building 1756
Charter granted by King George III 1769
Present Church Building 1860
Rectory 1670 Old Parish House 1874
New Parish House 1956
Cloister 1970

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THE 275TH ANNIVERSARY
OF
TRINITY CHURCH, WOODBRIDGE, NEW JERSEY

THE PRESIDING BISHOP

The Most Rev. John Elbridge Hines, D. D., S. T. D.

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Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey

The Rt. Rev. Albert Wiencke Van Duzer, D. D., S. T. D.

Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey

RECTOR OF TRINITY CHURCH

The Rev. William Harold Schmaus, M. A., S. T. B.

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Merrill A. Mosher, Senior Warden

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General Chairman: Merrill A. Mosher, Senior Warden

Dinner Chairman: Arthur V. Quinn; Co-chairman, Howard C. Smith

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275th Anniversary Program

GUEST PREACHERS

- November 12, 1972: The Rev. Canon Walter H. Stowe, D. D.
Rector, Trinity Church 1919-1921
Rector, Christ Church, New Brunswick 1929-1966
Historiographer of the Episcopal Church and of the
Diocese of New Jersey and former Editor of "The
Church Historical Magazine".
- December 10, 1972: The Rev. Canon George H. Boyd, D. D.
Rector, St. Peter's Church, Perth Amboy.
- January 5, 1973: The Rt. Rev. Albert W. Van Duzer, D.D., S.T.D.,
Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of New Jersey
- February 4, 1973: The Very Rev. Canon Frank V. H. Carthy,
Dean of the Northern Convocation
Rector, Christ Church, New Brunswick.
- March 11, 1973: The Rev. William A. Guerrazzi
Retired Priest of the Diocese of New Jersey
Former Rector of Church of the Holy Comforter, Rahway.
- April 8, 1973: The Rev. Canon J. Perry Cox
Rector of St. Peter's Church, Spotswood.
- May 6, 1973: The Rt. Rev. Edward R. Welles, S. T. D.
Retired Bishop of the Diocese of West Missouri
Rector of Trinity Church 1931-1934.
- June 10, 1973: Evensong, 4:00 P. M.
The Rev. Canon Herbert R. Denton, S. T. M.
Rector of St. Andrew's Church, Mt. Holly and Historio-
grapher of the Diocese of New Jersey.

5:30 P. M. 275th Anniversary Dinner, Trinity Parish House.

GREETINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 5, 1973

TO THE CONGREGATION OF TRINITY EPISCOPAL
CHURCH

Your two hundred and seventy-fifth anniversary is a source of satisfaction not only to you but also to the nation whose moral fiber you have strengthened by your religious commitment.

It is my hope that the pride you derive from this significant milestone may give you all the confidence you will need to face an even more challenging future with the same high purpose.

By this pride in your past and by the spiritual values of your Faith, may you continue to advance the goals of the true human brotherhood we seek -- and may this nation and all mankind benefit from your work.

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GREETINGS FROM THE QUEEN OF ENGLAND



BUCKINGHAM PALACE

7th May, 1973

Dear Mr. Schuman,

I am commanded by The Queen to thank you for your letter of 23rd April, and to say that Her Majesty was interested to hear of the 275th Anniversary of the first church service at Woodbridge which you will be celebrating on 10th June this year.

I am afraid that it would not be in accordance with Her Majesty's custom to send a personal message on this occasion, but she has asked me to send you and your congregation her best wishes on this notable commemoration.

Yours sincerely
Elizabeth

GREETINGS FROM THE GOVERNOR OF NEW JERSEY



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
TRENTON

During the past 275 years, Trinity Episcopal Church has provided the members of its congregation with spiritual guidance and comfort.

As your city grew, so did the contribution of your Church, which has always been a significant and integral part of your community.

May I add my congratulations on your Two Hundred Seventy-Fifth Anniversary and wish you continued growth and prosperity in the future.

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WILLIAM T. CAHILL
GOVERNOR OF NEW JERSEY

June 10, 1973

GREETINGS FROM THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

Lambeth Palace S.E.1

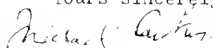
26th April, 1973.

My dear Rector,

Thank you for writing about the anniversary of your church. I am glad to send the enclosed message.

With all best wishes,

Yours sincerely,



The Reverend W.H. Schmaus,
Rahway Avenue at Trinity Lane,
Woodbridge, N.J.07095, U.S.A.

MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

I send my greetings to the people of Trinity Church as they celebrate the 275th anniversary of its foundation. I know that from its beginning the parish had a close link with England, but it is more significant that today the Anglican Churches everywhere in the world feel the bond of union with one another within a worldwide Communion. God bless you all, and may gratitude for His goodness in the past lead to new resolves for courageous Christian witness in the future.

*GREETINGS FROM THE
PRESIDING BISHOP OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH*



THE RT. REV. JOHN E. HINES
PRESIDING BISHOP, EPISCOPAL CHURCH

815 SECOND AVENUE
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10017

May 1, 1973

The Rev. William H. Schmaus
Trinity Church
Rahway Avenue at Trinity Lane
Woodbridge, New Jersey 07095

Dear Mr. Schmaus:

Thank you for letting me know of the celebration planned for Whitsunday, June 10th, the 275th anniversary of the first worship service held at Trinity Church and conducted by a missionary sent by the Church of England. I note further that your parish has had a continuous history since that time.

Two and three quarter centuries! This is old by almost any measurement in the history of the Church on this side of the water, and I hasten to send heartiest congratulations to the clergy and people because of this remarkable and faithful record. It raises once again the whole question of missionary responsibility and of the expectation that we who are the fruits of such a missionary response on the part of societies such as the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel -- and others -- must, of necessity, carry forth their vision and, in turn, exhibit our own responsibility in Christ to the rest of the world. I know this is true of your congregation and this is a good test by which one can measure the meaning of a congregation's history.

You all have my best wishes for the years that lie ahead of Trinity Church. May such faithfulness as the past two and three quarter centuries has exhibited grow even brighter in the immediate future.

With warm personal regards, I am

Faithfully yours,

John E. Hines
PRESIDING BISHOP

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GREETINGS FROM THE BISHOP OF NEW JERSEY



DIocese OF NEW JERSEY
808 WEST STATE STREET
TRENTON, N. J. 08618

RT. REV. ALFRED L. BANYARD, D.D., S.T.D.
OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

25 September 1972

To the Rector, Wardens and
Vestrymen of
Trinity Parish, Woodbridge

Dear Friends:

The celebration of your 275th Anniversary is a commemoration of real significance to all of us who are vitally interested in and concerned with the development of the Church in our Diocese.

I like to think of it as a golden cord, binding together the people and events of your congregation during the past two and three-quarter centuries.

As you celebrate this anniversary of Trinity Church, I join with your many friends from near and far, in extending personal greetings and congratulations.

Joy and gratitude must fill your hearts as you look back and consider the many blessings that have come to you, individually and collectively, down through the years. Such consideration of your blessings will give your celebration the right direction. It will help your joy to find expression in a two-fold way: namely, in praise to God and in earnest prayer for His future guidance and help.

Your church has made and is making a significant contribution to the cause of establishing the Kingdom of God in Woodbridge and its environs. At the present time, your parish family is growing and developing, under the faithful leadership of a devoted rector, the Reverend William H. Schmaus. By seeking to discover where it can be of greater usefulness to Christ and His Church, your parish will continue to be one of the important members of our Diocesan Family.

I pray that you will be inspired by this important observance to go forward with rededicated loyalty to Our Lord.

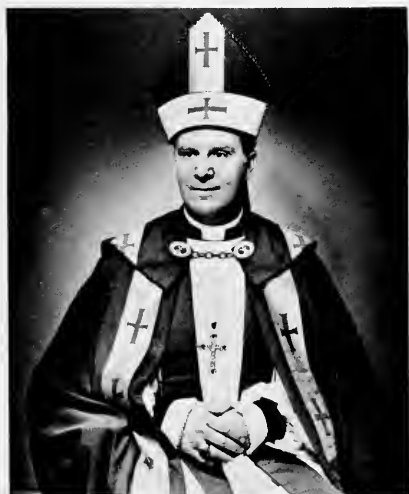
Affectionately,

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Bishop of New Jersey



THE RT. REV. ALFRED L. BANYARD,
D. D., S. T. D.

Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey



THE RT. REV. ALBERT W. VAN DUZER,
D. D., S. T. D.

*Bishop Coadjutor of
the Diocese of New Jersey*

The Rector's Message

June 10, 1973



To be a member of an historic parish such as ours is indeed a privilege and a challenge, a privilege because we have a goodly heritage, a challenge to accomplish greater things to come.

We are thankful that through God's grace and the devotion of each succeeding generation of concerned communicants, this parish has existed for 275 years. Today, Trinity Church continues to preach the Word of God and administer the sacraments, so that you and your children, like those who preceded, may grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Your Rector is grateful for the cooperation and encouragement you have given him these many years, during which our parish has increased in membership, indebtedness has been liquidated, the buildings and grounds have been properly maintained, and our material fabric has been enlarged by building the New Parish House and Cloister, so as to meet the requirements of a growing parish program.

Our 275th Anniversary is indeed a joyous occasion which truly enables us to review the past, evaluate the present, and look forward to future progress in extending the Kingdom of God.

Faithfully yours,

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Rector

Rectors of Trinity Church 1698-1973

1. Edward Portlock, 1698-1699
2. George Keith, 1703
3. John Talbot, M.A., 1704
4. John Sharpe, 1704
5. Edward Vaughan, 1709-1714
6. Thomas Halliday, 1717-1718
7. James William Skinner, 1722-1752
8. Thomas Bradbury Chandler, D.D., 1752-1763
9. Robert McKean, M.A., 1763-1767
10. John Preston, 1767-1769
11. Abraham Beach, D.D., 1769; 1778-1784
12. Uzal Ogden, D.D., 1797-1804
13. Jasper David Jones, 1804-1809
14. James Chapman, 1809
15. John Croes, D.D., 1809
16. John C. Rudd, D.D., 1810
17. Daniel Higbee, 1812-1813
18. Lewis P. Bayard, 1813
19. George Y. Morehouse, 1815-1816
20. Samuel C. Stratton, 1817-1818
21. Francis H. Cuming, 1819
22. Clarkson Dunn, 1819-1822
23. John M. Ward, 1822
24. Robert B. Croes, 1823
25. John Croes, Jr., 1824-1825
26. Charles Smith, 1825
27. Benjamin Holmes, 1825-1827
28. William Douglas, 1829-1838
29. Frederick Ogilby, 1838-1842
30. Hamble James Leacock, 1842-1843
31. James Chapman, 1843-1857
32. Henry N. Pierce, 1857
33. William R. Earle, 1857-1861
34. Eugene Augustus Hoffman, D.D. 1858-1862
35. Peter L. Jacques, 1862-1869
36. Robert C. McIlwain, 1869-1871
37. J. A. Penniman, 1871-1872
38. T. Lewis Bannister, 1872-1875
39. Julian Edward Ingle, 1875-1879
40. Frank Hallam, 1879-1880
41. Howard E. Thompson, 1880-1884
42. Lewis H. Lighthipe, M.A., 1885-1895
43. Rudolph E. Brestell, D.D., 1896-1899
44. Scott B. Rathbun, 1899-1913
45. Henry Hale Gifford, Ph.D., 1914-1917
46. Reginald Harwood Thomas, 1918
47. Walter Herbert Stowe, D.D., 1919-1921
48. Edward Harold Vogt, 1921-1923
49. J. Benjamin Myers, L.L.B., 1923-1931
50. Edward Randolph Welles, M.A., S.T.B., 1931-1934
51. Howard Frederick Klein, B.S., 1934-1942
52. William Harold Schmaus, M.A., S.T.B., 1942

The History of Trinity Church

ESTABLISHMENT OF TRINITY CHURCH*

On June 10, 1973, Trinity Church in Woodbridge will celebrate the 275th Anniversary of the first service of the parish conducted by the Rev. Edward Portlock. For many years, it was thought that the first service was held on December 29, 1703 by the great Colonial missionary, George Keith, and this is stated as a fact on the bronze tablet at the door of the Church. The researches of the Rt. Rev. Edward R. Welles, D. D., however have shown conclusively that the history of Trinity Church antedates 1703.

The community of Woodbridge was established between 1666 and 1669, and received a formal charter from the Crown on June 11, 1669. One of the clauses of this charter reads as follows:

“that they have power by the pluralitie of voices of the freeholders and freemen of the said corporation to chuse their own minister or ministers for the service of God in the administering of his Holy Sacrament and being so chosen, inducted, and admitted, all persons as well as the freeholders as others of the freemen and inhabitants admitted into said corporation or township shall contribute according to their estate for his maintenance towards which church there shall be two hundred acres of good upland and meadow laid out to the use and behoof of the said minister.

It was therefore the clear intention of His Majesty's government to make provision for the Church of England in Woodbridge at the time the township was established.

The work begun by Mr. Portlock created sufficient interest to result in the formation of a parish at Woodbridge, and according to tradition, Trinity Church was founded in 1702. The History of Trinity Church has been continuous since that date.

*Sources: E. R. WELLES, *“A History of Trinity Church”*

J. W. DALLY, *“Woodbridge and Vicinity”*

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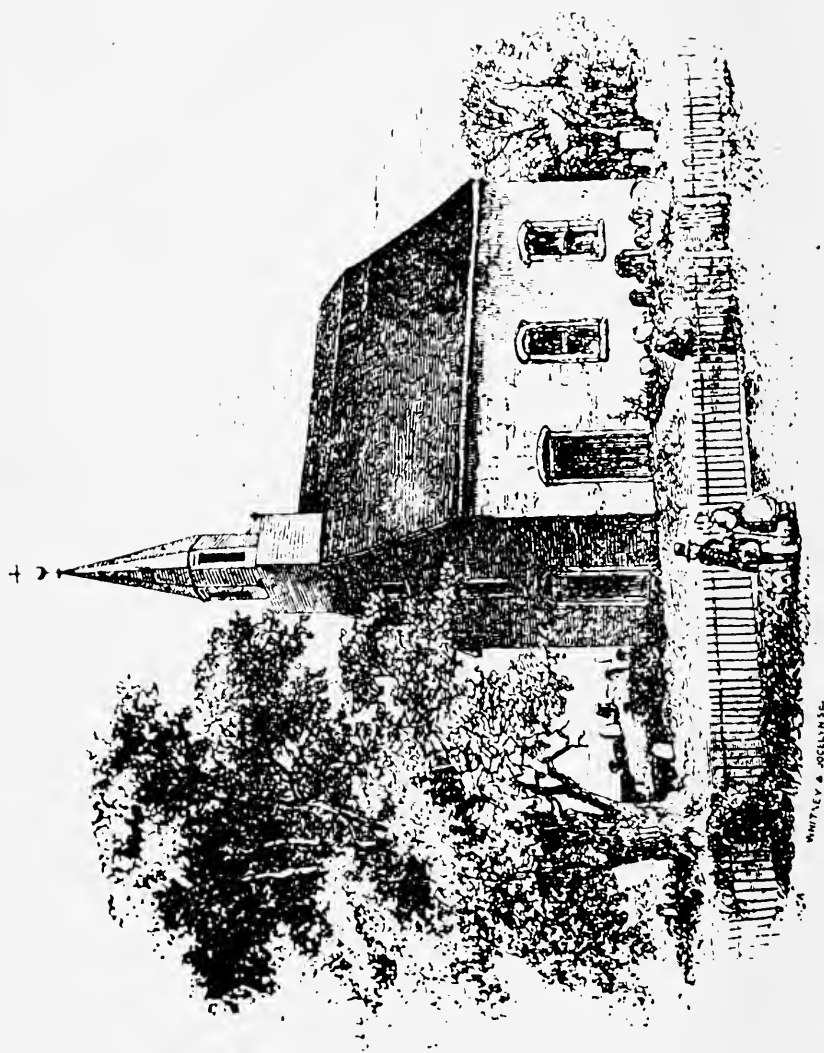
BUILDING THE FIRST CHURCH

Before an actual church building was erected for the use of Trinity Parish, the preliminary work was carried on by four priests of the Church: Edward Portlock (1698), George Keith (1703), John Talbot (1704), and John Sharpe (1704). It would thus appear that while Perth Amboy was the first town in New Jersey to have the services of the Church, Woodbridge was the second, with Piscataway, Elizabeth, and Burlington following in that order.

In 1713, under the leadership of the Rev. Edward Vaughan, the first church building was erected upon a portion of the 200 acres set aside in the Town Charter for the use of the Established Church. It was in use until 1754, when a larger structure was erected in its place. The most prominent layman in the parish during this period was Benjamin Dunham, son of Jonathan Dunham, the great Woodbridge miller. We are told that Benjamin Dunham placed a house at the disposal of the congregation while the church was being built, and although no further details are given, it is reasonable to suppose that the house thus used is the present rectory. It is known that the rectory was built by Jonathan Dunham in 1670 of brick "said to have been brought from Holland by vessels sailing hither, and used as ballast on the voyage." At the same time, he built a grist mill, "the first mill ever built in this part of the country, along the river, not more than two or three hundred yards away from the spot on which Trinity Church was later built." One of the ancient mill stones used in the mill remains to this day.

Other important laymen included George Eubanks, John Bishop and Richard Smith. George Eubanks was the village school teacher, and "a man of some ability." Bishop and Smith were undoubtedly related to the John Bishop and John Smith who were two of the original nine associates who received the Charter of the Township of Woodbridge in 1669, and so were members of distinguished families and as was customary in English Colonial settlements were the recipients of special grants and privileges.

Trinity Churchyard was first used about the year 1714, although the oldest existing headstone goes back only to 1750.



TRINITY CHURCH, THE SECOND CHURCH BUILDING.
FROM AN OLD DRAWING BY WM. A. WHITEHEAD IN 1838.

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BUILDING THE SECOND CHURCH

In 1751, James Parker set up at Woodbridge the first printing press in New Jersey. He served as lay reader in Trinity Church under the direction of the Rev. Thomas Bradbury Chandler. During this period, a new church building was erected on the site of the original structure, an old drawing of which has survived to the present day. The church was begun in 1754 and finished by October 31, 1756. One of its treasures was a folio bible dated 1751 which has remained in the possession of the parish to the present time. Another acquisition of this period which has survived through the centuries is a copy of the American Church Prayer Book of 1795.

On Christmas Day, 1760 the parish received a beautiful silver chalice inscribed, "The gift of Mary Dennis, Widow: to Trinity Church in Woodbridge, December ye 25th., 1760." The silver mark is H & M. This sacred vessel is likewise in the possession of the church. Bishop George Washington Doane said of this chalice in his Episcopal Address of 1840:

"I have often thought, as it struck my eye, at my annual commemoration of the Holy Communion, in that simple little sanctuary, how many hearts have been refreshed and strengthened, through God's blessing on that pious gift, in the long lapse of eighty years; with what a beautiful propriety the festival of the Nativity was made the day of its donation; and how peculiarly touching, that the one remembrance that has been preserved of her who gave it, is her widowhood, Happy they who, in the bereavement of the ties on earth, are drawn more closely to the holy altar and give their hearts to God."

Thomas Bradbury Chandler was succeeded as Rector by Robert McKean, brother of Thomas McKean, a signer of the Declaration of Independence. After serving the parish for only four years he was seized by a sickness which caused his untimely death. In his History of St. Peter's, Perth Amboy, Dr. Northey Jones ventures the opinion: "The prominence that his brother attained in the state would have been Robert's lot in the Church had he lived. Young and full of zeal, he gave promise of being one of the greatest leaders of the church in the colonies, had he not been cut off when only thirty-five years old..."

In the year 1769, a Royal Charter was granted to the parish by the Colonial Representative of King George III. The parish has operated under this charter ever since. One of its provisions is that the Minister, Church Wardens, and Vestrymen shall meet at the Church every year on Tuesday in Easter Week, and then and there elect two Church Wardens and not more than ten Vestry Men. When the charter was granted, the Rev. John Preston was the Rector, Samuel Jacques and Samuel Tingley were the Church Wardens, and David Alston, Esq., Thomas Hadden, Joseph Donham, and Ebenezer Forster were the Vestry Men. Samuel Jacques is buried in the Churchyard.

THE NEW
TESTAMENT
OF OUR
LORD and SAVIOUR
JESUS CHRIST,
Newly Translated out of the
Original Greek,
And with the *Textus*

TRANSLATIONS
Diligently COMPARED and REVISED.

By His Majesty's Special Command.

Appointed to be Read in CHURCHES.



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and by the Assigns of *Robert Baskett*
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THE
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OF
COMMON PRAYER,
AND ADMINISTRATION of the
SACRAMENTS,
AND OTHER
Rites and Ceremonies of the Church,
THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH
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BUILDING THE SECOND CHURCH

In 1774 the Rector and Vestry of Trinity Church sought to regain from the Presbyterians the glebe land granted to the Established Church in the Town Charter of 1669. In a letter dated February 19, 1770, The Rev. Mr. Preston writes as follows, "Upon my first meeting of the Vestry of Woodbridge, they were earnest with me to take induction, though there are no temporalities belonging to the Church, but they have a claim for a Glebe of above 200 acres of land which the Presbyterians are in possession of and they are anxious that the right should be determined by a course of law."

At this time Mr. Preston advised the Vestry against the lawsuit, but in 1774 the agitation on the part of the vestry was renewed. In this connection, Mr. Preston wrote in a letter dated April 2, 1774, "When I came to this mission in the year 1769, the people of Woodbridge were desirous that I should commence a law suit against the Presbyterians for 200 acres of land which upon the first settling of this Province were granted to build a Church on for a churchyard and a glebe, but there being then few members of the Church of England here and no clergyman, the dissenters laid hold of it, and have kept possession of it ever since . . . I have consulted several lawyers upon the validity of our claim, who are all of the opinion that we have a right to it and would recover it. My predecessor sent over a state of the case to the Society who took the opinion of the Counsel in England upon it, which was also favorable unto us. However, I was averse of entering into a lawsuit, being sensible that it would disturb the harmony between the two parties and was for compromising matters, and prevailed upon the vestry to make them an offer of dividing it between us, but they were in possession and thought they could hold it and would come to no terms. This nettled the vestry and they immediately proposed to raise a fund for the prosecution of it, and they are now busy in carrying about a subscription for that purpose."

The outbreak of the Revolutionary War, however, checked all legal proceedings and the controversy was never renewed.

The British occupied Woodbridge from December 2, 1776 to June 22, 1777. During that time, the Church edifice was used as a soldier's barracks, and the Rectory as a fort, under the command of David Coddington.

BUILDING THE THIRD CHURCH

From 1829 to 1840, Trinity Church enjoyed a period of prosperity during which plans were made to build a larger and better church. According to the Convention Journal of 1832, the Rev. William Douglas made a most encouraging report. Services were held regularly and were well attended. The Church building was repaired and painted. Proposals for a new church building were actually drawn up and circulated. They read in part, "The amount requisite for erecting a neat and commodious edifice is estimated at \$2,500.00. It is considered certain that if \$1,500.00 of this amount can be raised in the congregation and vicinity, the remainder viz. \$1,000.00 can be made up by foreign aid . . ."

[The text of the charter is written in a cursive script, heavily obscured by ink stains and bleed-through from the reverse side. The text is arranged in two columns, with a large, illegible stamp or seal visible in the center. The right margin contains the word "Witness" and a date "1769".]



CHARTER OF TRINITY CHURCH
GRANTED 1769 BY KING GEORGE III OF ENGLAND

The History of Trinity Church

BUILDING THE THIRD CHURCH

The existing facilities continued to be used until March 7, 1858, when the church was destroyed by fire. According to the records, Miss Sally Coddington and her sister Mrs. Manning were preparing the Church for the afternoon service. "One was busy with the fire in the old stove, trying to get the Church comfortably heated before service time, while the other was working about the chancel. Suddenly the roof caught fire from the chimney, and before the ice could be broken on the nearby creek and water brought to extinguish the flames, the whole building, which was of frame construction with shingled sides was doomed. As no insurance was carried in the Church, it was practically a complete loss. \$25.14 was realized by the sale on March 31st of some old iron, odd bricks, charred beams, doors, boards, stove pipe, and even the ashes were purchased for the incredible sum of \$4.10. These few dollars were used as the nucleus for the building fund for a new church."

The Vestry met on March 22nd and approved a plan for a new Church submitted by Mr. Upjohn, the well known Church architect, the cost not to exceed \$2,500.00. Bishop Doane sent a pastoral letter to every parish in the Diocese of New Jersey soliciting help. Subscription lists were circulated and the sum of \$2,330.13 was pledged by people living in Woodbridge and vicinity. "There was some dispute at first as to whether it would not be better to purchase land in the center of the town and there build the new church where it would be in a more convenient location. This opinion did not prevail, and plans were made to build the new edifice on the old site, hallowed as it was by a century and a half of devoted lives and efforts." Others have shared this opinion in more recent times, but in view of the rapid expansion of Woodbridge Township in the past two decades, it is almost providential that Trinity Church remains to this day in the exact geographical center of the area which she serves.

The Church was built under the leadership of Eugene Augustus Hoffman who several years later became Dean of the General Theological Seminary in New York. The cornerstone was laid by Bishop Odenheimer on July 7, 1860. It contains the following items:

Bible, Prayer Book, Journal of the General Convention of 1860, Journal of the Diocesan Convention of 1859, Canons of the Diocese of N. J., Copy of the Charter granted by King George III, Pastoral Letter of the Rt. Rev. G. W. Doane on the occasion of the burning of the Church, Service used this day, Church Almanac, Churchman, and Church Journal, Memoir of Bishop Doane, Book on Free Churches, Parish statistics of Christ Church, Elizabeth, N. J. 1860, Eucharist Week, Weekly Eucharist.

The new church cost \$3,333.44. It was consecrated on Whitsun Monday, May 20, 1861. Upon this occasion, a beautiful silver paten for the Holy Communion was presented to the parish. It is inscribed, "The gift of Christ Church, Elizabeth, N. J. to Trinity Church, Woodbridge, N. J., Whitsun Monday, 1861."

Historic Communion Plate



Dennis
Chalice
1760

Hance
Flagon
1869

Paten presented to Trinity Church
by Christ Church, Elizabeth
on May 20, 1861

Hance
Chalice
1869

The History of Trinity Church

FORTY YEARS OF PROSPERITY (1869-1900)

The Rev. Peter Jacques became Rector of Trinity Church in 1862. Despite the Civil War, the parish made great progress and actually began to establish mission stations. In July, 1863, a mission was opened at the Star School House in Rahway Neck, and a month later another was begun in the School House at the six roads (boundary between Woodbridge, Colonia and Rahway). Occasional missionary services were held also at Uniontown (1864, now Iselin) and in Hunterdon County (1865-66).

On December 6, 1869, the parish observed the Centennial of the Church's Charter. A lovely silver chalice which matches the paten received from Christ Church, Elizabeth was presented to the parish on this occasion. It is inscribed, "In Memoriam, George Clarence Hance, Trinity Church, Woodbridge, December 6, 1869." The parish also possesses a large silver flagon dating to this period and inscribed, "In Memoriam, Revo C. Hance to Trinity Church."

In 1870, the Rev. Robert C. McIlwain, who had become Rector of Trinity, reported: "There is a good deal of interest manifested in the parish. The attendance has greatly improved during the year, and there is an effort now being made to build a Sunday School room and Sexton's House and doubtless ere long the Church will be finished by building on a chancel." In 1872 the house built by Jonathan Dunham became the Rectory. It was greatly enlarged and completely renovated within. "A dining room and kitchen with two bedrooms over, were added at the back of the house. The former dining room now became the Rector's study. The brick brought from Holland, the adze hewn cellar beams, and the original foundations remain, but many improvements were made including black walnut woodwork and Gothic arched doors and window trimmings. In all, the sum of \$13,000.00 was expended for renovations to the rectory. Much of this was due to the liberality of the Senior Warden, George C. Hance. The contemplated parish house and sexton's quarters were completed in 1874 at a cost of over \$4,000.00. In 1879, the Chancel was built at a cost of \$3,625.00. During this period, Trinity Church also rendered conspicuous service to the Diocese of New Jersey. Mr. George C. Hance, besides giving most generously of his time and money to his own parish, also served the Diocese on many important committees for a number of years.

The Rev. Howard E. Thompson became Rector of Trinity on October 14, 1880. He was responsible for establishing the mission at Fords (1880), now St. John's Church. He was active in local civic affairs, and was a charter member of the Salmagundi Literary and Musical Society. During his rectorate, Mr. George C. Hance made further gifts to the parish, including the lectern in use at the present time, the brass altar desk, two memorial windows, and he established an endowment fund amounting to \$5,000.00.

The Rev. Lewis H. Lighthipe came to Trinity on February 22, 1885 and remained as head of the parish for ten years. In 1887, he acted as host to the Convention of the Diocese of New Jersey (New Brunswick division). The work at Fords continued under his able leadership, and he also established missions at Carteret and Sewaren which continue to the present day. St Mark's, Carteret was organized in 1893, and St. John's, Sewaren in 1895.



RECTORY 1670



CHURCH INTERIOR 1920



CHURCH SIGN 1944

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FORTY YEARS OF PROSPERITY (1860-1900)

From 1899-1918, the parish underwent a period of decline. The following letter signed by the Rector, Wardens and Vestry was mailed to the congregation on Easter Day, 1901:

"Ten years ago this parish owned real estate, outside of the immediate church and rectory property, to the value of over \$3,000.00 and held also an interest bearing endowment of \$5,000.00. Between that time and the date when the present rector took charge (two years ago) that real estate had been sold and the proceeds spent, excepting only a cash balance of about \$100.00, and a second mortgage on part of the property for \$300.00. In the meantime also, the endowment fund had, for several years, failed to produce any income and the capital itself seemed to be on the verge of complete extinction".

Apparently things went from bad to worse. During the next few years, Trinity Church could only afford the services of a part time Rector who came once a month, and Sunday services were conducted by seminarians from the General Seminary in New York.

TRINITY CHURCH FROM WORLD WAR I TO WAR WORLD II

The Rev. Walter H. Stowe became priest in charge of the parish in 1919. He organized the women into four guilds, one of which, St. Margaret's continues to this day. At this time the church was enlarged, the choir room added, a broom closet was converted into the beautiful Gothic Baptistry in memory of Ira Chapman Dunn, who had given his life in France in 1918. The whole interior of the church was refinished in Caen Stone. A handsome carved oak pulpit was presented by Frank R. Valentine and Mrs. Charles R. Brown in memory of their father. The Rood Screen was given by Mrs. M. D. Valentine in memory of her husband. The iron fence was erected around the church property in memory of the Vernon family.

The Rev. Edward H. Vogt served as Rector from 1921-1923, and the Rev. J. Benjamin Myers from 1923 to 1931. The Rev. Edward Randolph Welles, later elected Bishop of West Missouri, and only recently retired, became Rector in 1931 and served until 1934. During his Rectorate the communicant list increased, and the stone altar was installed in memory of those who gave their lives in World War I. The Rev. Howard F. Klein became Rector in 1934 and remained until the outbreak of World War II, when he resigned to enter military service. During the interim the Rev. George F. Dempsey served as locum tenens.



NEW PARISH HOUSE, 1956



PARISH HOUSE INTERIOR 1956



CLOISTER 1970

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THE PAST THIRTY YEARS

A survey of the financial structure of the parish late in 1942 revealed that there were only 72 pledges and the anticipated income, should all pledges be paid in full would total no more than \$2,535.40, scarcely enough to pay a rector's salary much less to meet the current operating expenses of an independent self-supporting parish.

At this juncture, an agreement for mutual assistance was negotiated between the Vestry of Trinity Church and the Rector and Vestry of St. Peter's Church, Perth Amboy, whereby the part time services of a priest might be obtained with a guarantee of additional assistance should the circumstances require. Under the terms of this agreement, the Rev. William H. Schmaus came to Trinity Church as Vicar of St. Peter's at a salary of \$1,200.00, and at the same time continued to minister to the congregation of St. John's Church in Fords. During his first year in the parish, the congregation responded so well to the Every Member Canvass that the number of pledges increased from 72 to 194, and the proposed budget was oversubscribed by \$1,653.80. During succeeding years, the parish budget has steadily increased, from \$4,000.00 in 1943 to \$28,375.00 in 1973. This year, the Rector's salary, including automobile allowance was budgeted at \$9,500.00.

After serving for one year and six months as Vicar, Father Schmaus was called as Rector of Trinity Church on May 10, 1944 at a salary of \$2,700.00. On October 15, 1944, he was formally instituted as Rector by the Rt. Rev. Wallace J. Gardner, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey. During his rectorate, the communicant list has tripled, two extensive building programs have been undertaken and completed, three mortgages have been paid off, and numerous memorials have been acquired by the parish. A new parish house was built in 1956 at a cost of \$150,000.00, and in 1970 a Cloister was constructed connecting the Church and Parish House. The Cloister cost \$36,000.00. In 1948, during the 250th Anniversary of Trinity Church, a mortgage of \$7,500.00 remaining from the depression years was paid in full. A mortgage of \$60,000.00 incurred by the new parish house construction was paid off within five years after the building was erected, an additional mortgage of \$20,000.00 for improvements to the church building was amortized. The current mortgage on the Cloister has been reduced to \$6,794.40. We hope to be able to liquidate this balance remaining, during this 275th Anniversary year. In 1957 the Rt. Rev. Alfred L. Banyard, D.D., S.T.D., Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey, officiated at the dedication of the New Parish House, and the Cloister was dedicated by Bishop Banyard upon the occasion of his 1972 Episcopal Visitation to Trinity Parish.

Trinity Parish Organizations

TRINITY ACOLYTE GUILD

Michael Csaki
Brian Gruner
Robert Olah
Stephen Olah
Thomas Perez
Timothy Quinn
Charles Rothfuss
John Slevin
Clifford Smith
Allan R. Stewart, Jr.

TRINITY CHURCH SCHOOL OFFICERS AND TEACHERS

Miss Beverly Hillyer
Mrs. H. Alton Wolny
Miss Lois Malloy
Mrs. William Wedemeyer
Mrs. Andrew Gutkowski
Mrs. Patricia Kerr
Miss Joanne Kronseder
Miss Mary Martyn
Miss Cynthia Martyn
Mrs. Joseph Marziali
Mrs. Frank Perez
Miss Virginia Shaffer
Mrs. Stephen Shaffer
Mr. Craig Smith
Mrs. William C. Smith
Miss Lynn Zimmerman

TRINITY ALTAR GUILD

Mrs. Andrew Shaffer
Mrs. William L. Benson
Mrs. John Clark, Sr.
Mrs. Patricia Kerr
Mrs. Frank Perez
Mrs. Stephen Shaffer
Mrs. William Tait
Mrs. William Wedemeyer
Mrs. Roseann Zambo

ST. ANNE'S UNIT

Mrs. H. Alton Wolny
Mrs. James VanDerveer
Mrs. Louis Csaki
Mrs. Valentine Blatz
Mrs. Russell A. Bauer
Mrs. William Benson
Mrs. John Bergacs
Mrs. Charles Blanchard
Mrs. John Byoris
Mrs. Robert Cockcroft
Mrs. Daniel Cole
Mrs. Adam Cunningham
Mrs. Chester Cunningham
Mrs. Lawrence Desch
Mrs. Michael T. Farrell
Mrs. Allen Francis
Mrs. William Frelish
Mrs. Ralph Gruner
Mrs. Andrew Gutkowski
Mrs. Frank Hellwig
Mrs. George Houck
Mrs. Thomas Kanitra
Mrs. Joseph Karnas
Mrs. George Knopf
Mrs. Walter Kronseder
Mrs. John Kuzmjak
Mrs. Fred Little
Mrs. Ned Moore
Mrs. George Murray
Mrs. George Painter
Mrs. Leo Renault
Mrs. Charles Ruge
Mrs. James Ryer
Mrs. Harry Schrump
Mrs. Stephen Shaffer
Mrs. Andrew Shaffer
Mrs. Howard Smith
Mrs. Rheinhold Strauss
Mrs. Allan R. Stewart
Mrs. Ralph Thomson
Mrs. Downes Varey
Mrs. Dirk VandenBerg
Mrs. William Wedemeyer
Mrs. Charles Zimmerman

Trinity Parish Organizations

ST. MARGARET'S UNIT

Mrs. Patricia Kerr
Mrs. Catherine Applegate
Mrs. Chester Cenzar
Mrs. Svend Christensen
Mrs. John Clark, Sr.
Mrs. Robert E. Culbert
Mrs. James Hooper
Mrs. James O'Donnell
Mrs. Frank Perez
Mrs. Eleanor Randon
Mrs. Neil Stoddard
Mrs. Roseann Zambo

EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN

Mrs. Frank Perez
Mrs. Eva Dalley
Mrs. Nelson A. Kenworthy
Mrs. Patricia Kerr
Mrs. Otis A. Kiel
Mrs. William Perna
Mrs. Roseann Zambo

TRINITY GIRLS FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Betty Cole
Darlene Doby
Cheri English
Tracy English
Gail Gruner
Hope Howarth
Roxanne Howarth
Maureen Karnas
Jill Kuzmjak
Susan Langen
Wendy Little
Bonnie Renault
Tracey Renault
Susan Sharris
Dawn Smith
Pamela Stewart
Rachel Thomson
Kim Wood
Linda Wood

Advisors: Mrs. Ralph Gruner,
Mrs. Howard C. Smith,
Mrs. John Kuzmjak.

TRINITY SENIOR CHOIR

Mrs. James Hooper
Mrs. Patricia Kerr
Mrs. Audrey Oliver
Mrs. Frank Perez
Miss Patricia Ryan
Miss Rose Ryan
Mrs. John Vislocky
Mrs. Roseann Zambo

TRINITY JUNIOR CHOIR

Carol Csaki
Lois Csaki
Margaret Csaki
Cheri English
Tracy English
Brian Gruner
Gail Gruner
Roxanne Howarth
Barbara Little
Karl Little
Wendy Little
Martha Jean Rothfuss
Dawn Smith
Pamela Stewart
Sandra Stewart
Andrew Thomson
Carolyn Thomson
Rachel Thomson

TRINITY YOUNG PEOPLES FELLOWSHIP

Carol Csaki
Margaret Csaki
Michael Csaki
Michael Flynn
Richard Foersch
Robert Olah
Stephen Olah
Thomas Perez
Charles Rothfuss
Allan R. Stewart, Jr.
Sandra Stewart
Craig Toth
David Yungchek

Advisors: Mrs. Frank Perez,
Mrs. Patricia Kerr, Mrs.
Roseann Zambo.

Trinity Parish Organizations

BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 34 LEADERS

Ralph Gruner
Albert Bowker
Edward Concides
Russell Gordon
Michael Petrisin
Bruce Robinson
Walter Taubert
John Timko

BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 34 MOTHER'S AUXILIARY

Alice Gruner
Helen Bowker
Mary Concides
Lois Gordon
Helen Herris
Janice Kiefer
Thelma Krapf
Barbara Moore
Patricia Petrisin
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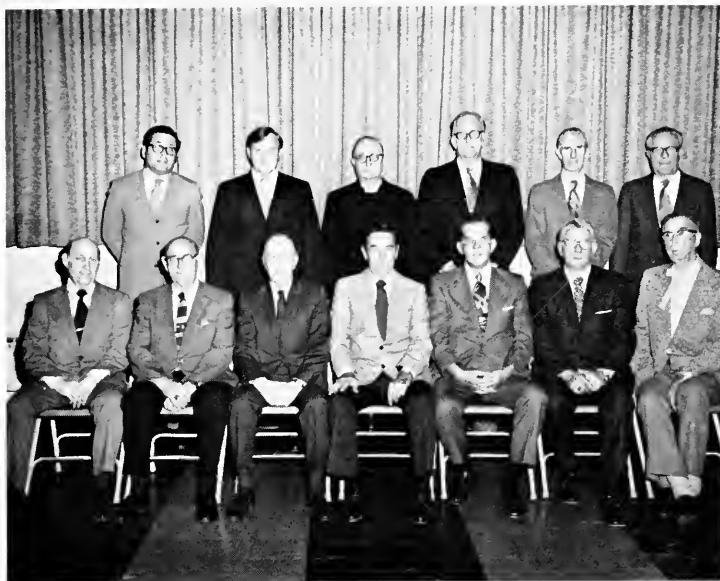
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Glenn Gordon
Scott Gordon
Brian Gruner
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Philip Kollien
Richard Kollien
William Krapf
Stephen Moore
Patrick Olden
Timothy Olden
Jeffrey Teriano
Michael Petrisin
Thomas Rich
Brian Robinson
Frank Sorvillo
Craig Taubert

CUB SCOUT PACK NO. 34 LEADERS

Patrick S. Coyle
Margaret Coyle
Daniel Abbruscato
David Broder
Evelyn Broder
Anna M. Gilligan
Frank Herres
Robert Kiefer
Janice Kiefer
Roger Livingston
Bernadette Livingston
Bette Mc Carthy
Marilyn Robinson
Frank Sorvillo
Barbara Strubel

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Daniel Abbruscato
John Balacs
Gary Broder
William Cooke
Henry Chomicki
Donald Di Giovanni
Richard De Ieso
Robert Eskay
John Gilligan
William Gray
Mark Gyetray
Francis Herres
Joseph Jakub
Kevin Kiefer
Quentin Kneer
Roger Livingston
Daniel Mc Carthy
Robert Moore
Jonathan Petz
Frank Sorvillo, Jr.
Jack Sranaty
Scott Strubel
Jeffrey Tympanick
John Phillips
Frank Havanki
David Wendel



RECTOR, CHURCHWARDENS AND VESTRY



ACOLYTE GUILD



TRINITY CHURCH SCHOOL



ALTAR GUILD



EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN



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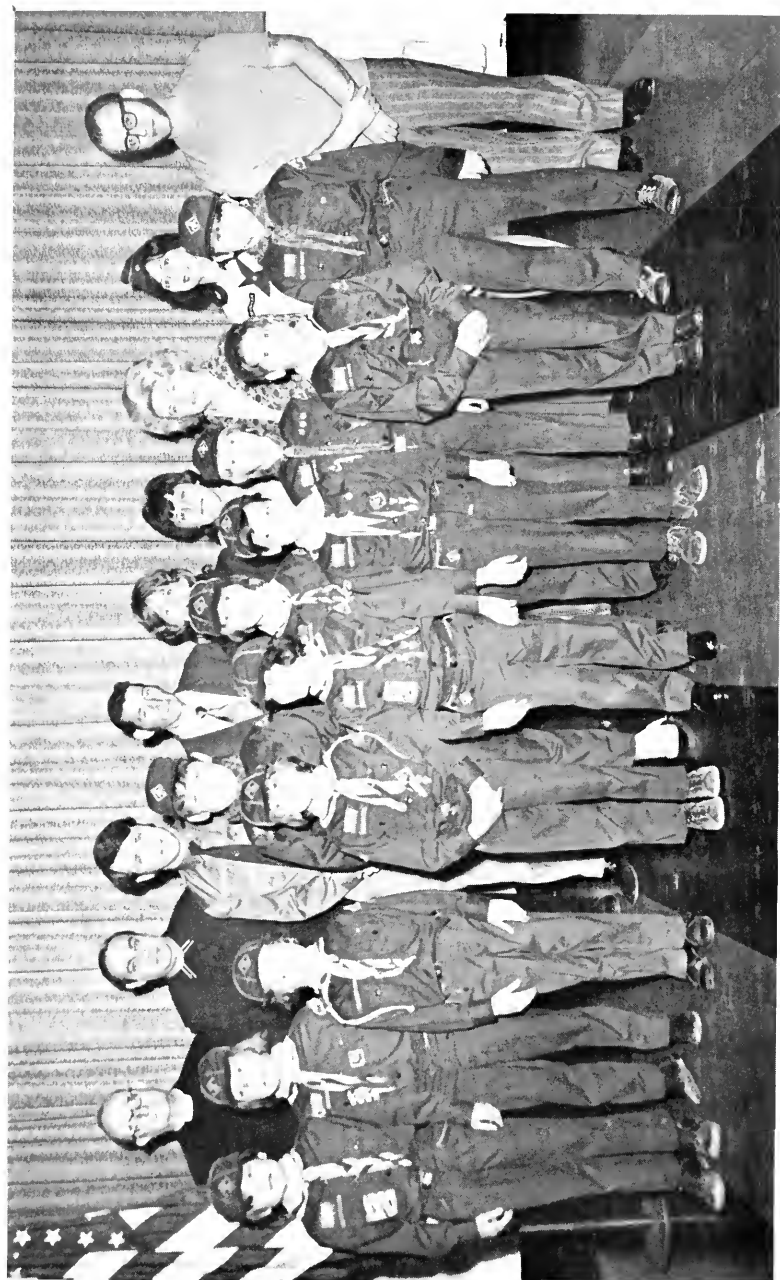
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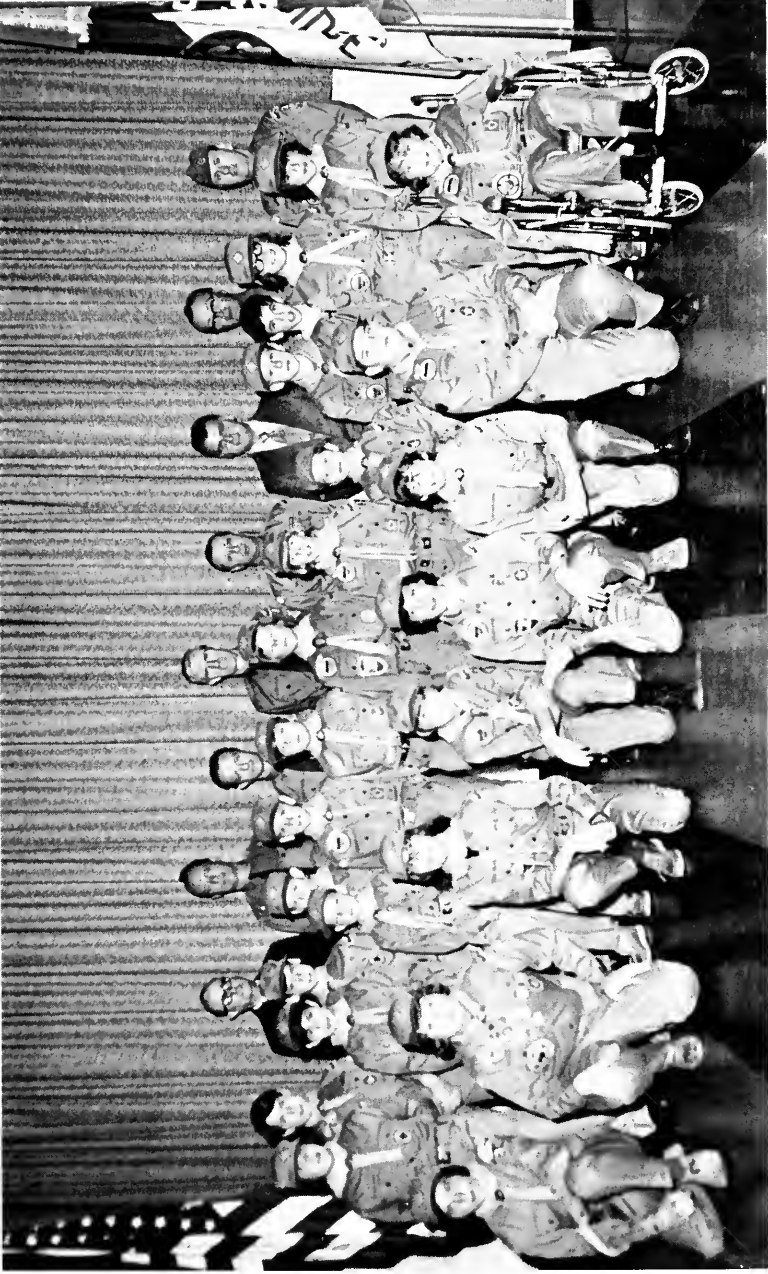
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CUB SCOUT PACK NO. 34



BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 34



BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 34
MOTHER'S AUXILIARY

Gifts and Memorials, 1760-1973

Chalice, gift of Mary Dennis, December 25, 1760.
Windows, in memory of David, Henry, John and Otto Arrowsmith, 1860.
Paten, gift of Christ Church, Elizabeth, May 20, 1861.
Chalice, gift of George C. Hance, December 6, 1869.
Flagon, in memory of Revo C. Hance, 1869.
Window, in memory of Sara W. Hance, 1881.
Window, in memory of Annette L. Ingle, 1881.
Chancel Prayer Books, gift of St. Martha's Guild, 1911.
Lectern, in memory of Mary A. Hance, 1912.
Missal Stand, in memory of Mary A. Hance, 1912.
Bread Box, in memory of Susan A. Dixon, September 21, 1916.
Baptistry, in memory of Ira C. Dunn, 1918.
Rood Screen, in memory of Mulford D. Valentine, 1919.
Pulpit, in memory of J. Ross Valentine, 1919.
Church Bell, gift of St. Margaret's Unit, 1920.
Organ, gift of St. Elizabeth's Unit, 1920.
Baptismal Ewer, in memory of Elizabeth Trembath, gift of St. Margaret's Unit, 1920.
Processional Cross, in memory of Ellen Gillis Deter, 1920.
Branch Candlesticks, in memory of Cornelia S. Valentine, 1924.
Missal and Chancel Prayer Book, gift of the Order of Fleur de Lis, 1929.
Lace Superfrontal, gift of Esther Storey, 1931.
Memorial Limestone Altar, Dossal, and Sanctuary Lamp, 1932.
Office Lights, gift of Trinity Church School, 1934.
Chalice and Paten, in memory of Frank A. Will, 1935.
Hand Embroidered Corporal, gift of Mary Jane Rothfuss, 1935.
Ciborium, in memory of James Roy Steel, March 11, 1935.
Sanctus Bell, in memory of Minnie McAra, 1940.
Dossal, gift of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Wetterberg, 1941.
Dossal, gift of Trinity Altar Guild, 1941.
Carpet for the Sanctuary, gift of St. Martha's Unit, 1941.
Pew Cushions, gift of St. Margaret's Unit, 1941.
Walnut Alms Basins, in memory of Minnie McAra, 1942.
Green, White, and Violet Vestments, gift of Trinity Altar Guild, 1943.
Lavabo Bowl, in memory of Samuel McKibbin, 1943.
Chancel Prayer Book, in memory of Susan D. Prescott, 1944.
Carpet for Old Parish House, gift of Dr. and Mrs. C. Howard Rothfuss, 1944.
Altar Missal, in memory of Martha H. Rothfuss and Mary F. H. Howard, 1944.
Lectern Bible and Markers, gift of Trinity Girls Friendly Society, 1946.
Old Parish House Kitchen Cabinets, gift of Mitchell Cairns, 1947.
Church Cross sheathed with copper and gold leafed, gift of Merrill A. Mosher, 1947.
Hand Embroidered Corporals, in memory of Ada E. Smith, 1948.
Carpet for the Church Aisle, gift of St. Margaret's Unit, 1948.
Red Vestments, gift of Trinity Altar Guild, St. Margaret's Unit, and Trinity Girls Friendly Society, 1948.
New floor and tile in the Church Vestibule, gift of Merrill A. Mosher, 1948.
Susan Hoffman Dixon Memorial Chimes, 1949.
Chancel Prayer Book, gift of Trinity Junior Altar Guild, 1949.
Vestments, in memory of Frieda C. Sattler, 1950.
Baptismal Shell, in memory of Jeanette Pateman, gift of St. Anne's Unit, 1950.
Gold Embroidered Altar Frontal made in the Holy Land, gift of Dr. C. Howard and Mary Jane Rothfuss, 1951.
Crystal Wine and Water Cruets, in memory of Carrie Peck Sowers, 1951.
Altar Linen from Italy, gift of Helen Savage Cone, 1952.
Window, in memory of John William Boos, 1952.
Window, in memory of Rev. Harold Eugene Schmaus and Eleanor Uhler Schmaus, 1952.
Furniture for Guild Room, gift of St. Anne's Unit, 1952.
American Flag, in memory of John William Shephard, 1952.
Episcopal Church Flag, in memory of Mary Jane Rothfuss, 1952.
Lectern Lamp, in memory of Olga B. Wetterberg, 1952.

Gifts and Memorials, 1760-1973

- Window, gift of Jean Cook Rothfuss, 1952.
Hymn Board Lamps, gift of James Dale Ryer, 1952.
Window, in memory of Mary Frew Dunphy, 1953.
Window, in memory of James Sylvester Wight, 1953.
Window, in memory of James Wilson, 1953.
Bequest, \$10,000.00, in memory of the Rev. and Mrs. Johnson A. Springsted and the Dixon Family, 1954.
Brass Alms Basins, in memory of August A. Rosenhauer, 1954.
Bequest, in memory of James E. Prescott, 1955.
Bequest, in memory of Julia F. Bower, 1955.
Grand Piano, gift of Alson Brandes, 1955.
Kneeling Cushions, gift of Louis Neuberg, 1955.
Pavement Candlesticks, in memory of William J. Finn, 1956.
Attic Fan for the Rectory, in memory of Mrs. J. Howard Fullerton, 1956.
Processional Cross, gift of Sidona Kanitra, a Thankoffering, 1957.
R.C.A. High Fidelity Radio-Phonograph, in memory of Louis Neuberg, 1957.
Safe for the Parish House, gift of Merrill A. Mosher, 1957.
Clock for the Office, gift of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kubicka, 1957.
Clock for the Guild Room, gift of Mrs. H. Alton Wolny, 1957.
Window, in memory of Louis Neuberg, 1958.
Window, in memory of James Alfred Compton, 1958.
Altar Missal and Chancel Prayer Books, gift of Trinity Girls Friendly Society, 1958.
Tole Desk Lamp, gift of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cenzar, 1958.
Drapes for the Parish House, gift of Miss Sophia Schmidt, 1958.
Screens for the Parish House, gift of Mitchell Cairns, 1958.
Iron Railings for the Rectory Porch, gift of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kubicka, 1959.
Bequest, \$100.00, in memory of Marguerite A. Bindewald, 1960.
A Silver Pyx, in memory of Henry J. and Evelyn Rennieburgh, 1961.
Bequest, in memory of Thomas J. Moran, 1961.
Junior Choir Music, in memory of Daniel Demarest, 1961.
Carpet in Sacristy and Chancel, gift of St. Margaret's Unit, 1962.
Window, in memory of Mitchell Cairns, 1963.
Churchyard Creche, gift of Trinity Girls Friendly Society, 1963.
Window, in memory of Rita Van Pelt Costello, 1964.
Window, in memory of Bertha Huber Allen, 1964.
Sterling Silver Chalice and Paten, in memory of M. Josephine Tetley Omenhiser, 1964.
Bequest, \$100.00, in memory of Florence Baker, 1964.
New Parish House Entrance Lights, in memory of Eric Gordon Davis, 1965.
White Vestments, gift of Mrs. John W. Boos, 1966.
Antique Lace Altar Frontal, gift of Mrs. Frank Perez, 1966.
Altar Fair Linen, gift of Mrs. Chester Cenzar, 1966.
Brass Altar Vases, in memory of Joseph Downes Varey, gift of St. Anne's Unit, 1967.
Submersible Sump Pump, gift of Mr. and Mrs. William Wedemeyer, 1967.
Sterling Silver Cruets, in memory of William H. Laurie, 1968.
Signboard on Trinity Lane, in memory of Alfred W. Rodney, 1968.
Window, in memory of William Thomas Smith, 1968.
Window, in memory of Esther F. Storey, 1969.
Window, in memory of Thomas B. Malloy, 1969.
Book of Remembrance and Repository, in memory of Blanche E. Rosenhauer, 1969.
Rectory and Millstone Plaque, gift of James H. Dunham and Lester B. Dunham, 1969.
The Cloister Porch, in memory of Helen Savage Cone, 1970.
Emmanuel Advent Wreath, in memory of Winifred Ryer Hitchcock, gift of St. Anne's Unit, 1970.
Sanctus Bell, in memory of Robert E. Culbert, 1970.
Phonoviewer, gift of Mr. and Mrs. George Mine, 1970.
Altar Linens, gift of Mrs. Chester Cenzar, 1970.
New Parish House Notice Board, gift of Girls Friendly Society, 1970.
Library Books, gifts of Mrs. Eva Dalley, Mrs. Nelson A. Kenworthy, Mrs. Patricia Kerr, Mrs. Otis A. Kiel, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill A. Mosher, Mrs. C. H. Rothfuss, Mr. and Mrs. John Vislocky, and friends of George DeWorth, George Mine, Ruth Stockel.

Gifts and Memorials, 1760-1973

Paschal Candle and Candlestick, in memory of Florence Kershaw, gift of St. Anne's Unit, 1971.

Vestments, gift of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cenzar, 1971.

Window, in memory of James H. Dunham and Isabella B. Rommell Dunham, 1971.

Window, in memory of Florence G. Kershaw, 1971.

Window, in memory of Natalie S. Mosher, 1971.

Window, in memory of Harry Forsythe, 1971.

Window, in memory of Alson Brandes, 1971.

Ceramic Creche for the Baptistry, made by Marie Sanders in memory of Ella Large, 1971.

Aumbrey, in memory of Oscar Large, 1971.

White and Gold Cope, in memory of Lt. William Henry Jones and Kate Stephens Jones, 1971.

White Eucharistic Vestments, in memory of Stanley and Eleanor Cenzar, 1971.

Processional Torches, in memory of Dorothy V. Tune, 1971.

Window, in memory of Richard H. Sanders, 1972.

Window, in memory of parents of David H. and Oleta Hair, 1972.

Window, in memory of James J. Livingood, Jr., 1972.

Window, in memory of James O'Donnell, 1972.

Window, in memory of Michael T. Farrell, 1972.

Missal and Chancel Prayer Books, gift of Girls Friendly Society, 1972.

Church Banner, gift of Mrs. Frank Perez, a Thankoffering, 1973.

Window, in memory of Margaret Thornal Savage and Edward Schaffer Savage, 1973.

Window, in memory of Elizabeth Joule and Marilyn M. Joule, 1973.

Window, in memory of Justin B. Powell and Susan M. Powell, 1973.

New Drapes for the Parish House, gift of St. Anne's Unit, 1973.

Bequest, \$2,000.00, in memory of Joseph Allen and Bertha Huber Allen, 1973.

Flagpole, in memory of Tommy English, 1973.

Flagpole, in memory of George DeWorth, Sr., 1973.



OLD PARISH HOUSE 1874

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